

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A cleaning device comprising:

a mount;

a squeegee that is made of an elastic material and that is retained in the mount;

5 a stemlike handle that is joined to the mount pivotably about a pivot axis that extends perpendicular to a longitudinal direction of the squeegee;

wherein the pivot axis of the mount and the handle forms an acute angle of approximately 30 to 60° with a
10 longitudinal direction of the handle,

wherein a geometric line of intersection of a common pivoting plane of the mount and the handle with a surface to be cleaned is located below the squeegee with respect to a downward pulling direction of the cleaning device, and

15 wherein the mount and the handle are ~~adjustably~~ pivotably connected ~~by a screw connection to achieve desired clamping with a mutual frictional engagement therebetween which enables pivoting of the handle with respect to the mount during operation.~~

Claims 2 and 3 (Canceled).

4. (Original) The cleaning device of claim 1, wherein the acute angle is approximately 45° .

Claims 5-7 (Canceled).